DAUGHTER OF A GOVERNOR AND WIFE OF ONE.

Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, Once the Social and Political Queen in Washington, Died in Obscurity-Incidents of Her Interesting Career.

closed a highly dramatic career.

She was born in 1840, the only daughter of Salmon P. Chase, and owing to the death of her mother she early became mistress of her father's household. Her father, the most famous member of a family whose scions had already gained fame at the bar, on the bench and in the Protesiant episcopate. was already one of the leading lawyers in Cincinnati, when, in 1849, a coalition of Free Sollers and Democrats sent him to the United States Sennte. At the expiration of his term, in 1855, a somewhat similar coalition elected him Governor of Ohlo. In 1857 the Republican party returned him to the gubernator-

How much of his advancement he owed to the personal popularity of his daughter Kate cannot be estimated. It is certain that before she had passed out of her teens she was spoken of not only as the leading belle of Cincinnati, but as one of the most astute politicians in Ohio. Between her and her father

Just as she was reaching the maturity of her charms her father became a chet followed on Aug. 31. Then came great figure in national politics as can- divorce suits, brought by the wife didate for the Republican Presidential against the husband and by the busnomination, in 1860, and Secretary of band against the wife. Finally an the Treasury in Lincoln's cabinet a amicable arrangement was reached, year later. In the latter position he and on May 27, 1882, a decree of divorce won a reputation second only to that of Alexander Hamilton. At the height of the son, William Sprague Jr., and Mrs. his power he established his home at Sprague the three daughters. Sprague Edgewood, where his daughter has just afterward married the daughter of a died. Here the most illustrious men of Virginia farmer. the nation, the most distinguished viscomed. And here Kate Chase ruled su- of the wreck, Kate Chase retired to preme over a crowd of admirers. A little prior to this time she had met

William Sprague, the man who was to ecome her husband. Sprague was



KATE CHASE SPRAGUE. orn in Rhode Island, in 1830. In 1856 he had succeeded to the management of the print works, established by his elected Governor of his State. In September of that year he had headed a deputation from Rhode Island to the dedication of the statue of Commodore Perry in Cleveland. It was then that he first met Miss Chase. It was a case of love at first sight, and on Nov. 12, 1863, they were married, all fashionable and official Washington being represented at the wedding. Mr. Sprague had just been elected United States Senator from Rhode Island.

The honeymoon was spent in Previdence. Mrs. Sprague cast her eyes over her husband's broad ancestral acres in that town renamed the spot Canonchet, and proceeded to replace the old man-sion with a splendid new palace. It still remains an unfinished Aladdin's

Possibly it was the headlong extravagance of the wife in this and other matters which made the first rift in the matrimonial lute, but, in fact, the two were utterly dissimilar in taste, in character, in ambitions. Mrs. Sprague took far more interest in her father's political future than in her husband's. She devoted herself to the former with even more assidulty than before her marriage. With the wealth at her command, with her brilliancy, her tact, her unfailing charm of manner, she easily Washington society. All these gifts of older rivals. fortune were utilized in the effort to make Salmon P. Chase President of the

United States. Chase, who had left the Democratic party on the slavery issue, was willing to become a candidate of a reconstructed Democracy, and in 1868, when the national convention was held in New York Mrs. Sprague opened up quarters there in the interests of her father. Every effort was made to bring the man and the platform into harmonious relations, but falled. The convention would not go far enough to suit Mr. Chase and the latter was unbending. He did not long survive his disappointment. In 1870 he suffered a paralytic stroke and in 1873 he died.

His death precipitated a rupture between Mrs. Sprague and her husband. After that event she became less circumspect in her conduct, less reticent shout her domestic troubles, more extravagant in her expenses.

Finally the husband's remonstrances culminated in a request that she should name some friend in whom she had confidence and whom he might take into his. She suggested Roscoe Conkling. The husband was staggered.

well as personally. Moreover, it was Conkling's name that was linked with Mrs. Sprague's in the gossip of the

capital. Nevertheless, so desperate were his straits-for even then the shadow of financial ruln was impending-that he consented to unbosom himself and lay bare all his private affairs to his

On Aug. 10, 1879, occurred the sensa tional episode which was the first blow to the political prestige of the New The death of Mrs. Kate Chase York Senator. Mr. Sprague, returning Sprague, wife of a former Governor of home to Canonchet unexpectedly from Rhode Island and daughter of the late an interrupted journey, surprised Conk-Salmon P. Chase, at one time Governor ling breakfasting with his wife. He of Ohlo. Secretary of the Treasury and gave him half an hour to leave the chief justice of the United States Su- house under pain of death. Mrs. preme Court, which occurred at Edge- Sprague, with her accustomed audaciwood, near Washington, not long ago, ty, laughed at "Willie's threats" and heartened the Senator to remain, but



there existed a love that was little the return of Mr. Sprague with a shotshort of mutual adoration. All the lit- gun made the Senator beat a precipitle girl's ambitions seemed to center in tate and inglorious retreat, the shotgun in his rear.

The flight of the wife from Canon

While the Governor spent his time in itors from abroad, were always wel- litigation, trying to save something out Edgewood, the small property left by her father in the suburbs of Washington. There she lived during the last fifteen years, with steadily dwindling fortunes, until a few months ago she was offered by Secretary Gage a clerk's position in the Treasury Department, over which her father had once pre-#ded. She declined the place, and only a few weeks ago, Edgewood, covered with mortgages, was ordered to be

Of her children the son committed suicide in Seattle in 1890, but her three daughters survive her. The eldest, Ethel, went on the stage, but a short time ago she married and retired from

RACE OF THE ILLUMINANTS. even Competitors for Popular Favor

Are Now in the Field. minating power of any of the illuminants. The electric arc light stands next, incandescent gas third, and the incandescent electric light fourth. Gas. oil and candles follow in the order named. When gas was first put into practical use in 1805 it was predicted that lamps would be at once abangrandfather, and continued by his doned. Yet many people still prefer father and uncle. In 1860 he had been lamps to any other method of illumina-



HOW ILLUMINANTS COMPARE. tion, and the Standard Oil Company, probably the greatest corporation in existence, still makes millions each year out of the sale of kerosene oil. Twenty years ago, when electric lights were put on the market, the prophets foresaw the immediate ruin of the gas business. This prophecy in turn has been falsified, though the electric light business has grown to be one of immense importance. Each new illuminant seems to make a field for itself, remained the center of attraction in without encroaching seriously on its

A Method of One Painter. G. F. Watts, who is now in his eighty-third year, constantly exposes his canvases to the full rays of the sun, with either of these sports, the casualto let the light burn into the wet paint and dry with it. He believes there Mr. Watts uses no maulstick, his On the contrary it would be very hard ness, and he has always been morfond of stippling than of delicate brus! work, often pounding the color into his | treasury is thus replenished. More canvas to insure permanence. He has over, an opportunity is afforded for a rarely worked directly from the living model, but modeled fragmentary studies in wax and clay for the particular parts of the figure required in his pict-

Easy Bicyc'ing. The Sultan of Morocco has a somewhat imperial method of smusing himself with cycling. A couch is rigged up between the wheels, and on this the monarch reclines, studying the cyclom-

eter and the compass, while his attendants pedal for him. When people become indignant, they Conkling was his enemy, politically as nearly always abuse the wrong man.

Steps by Which the Blank Paper Is Made to Become the Beautiful Wall

Instructive Description of the Various

MAKING WALL PAPER

PROCESS.

Covering We Know. The manufacture of wall paper is singularly interesting. First, a web of blank paper is set in a reel behind blotching machine; two cylinders bring the free end of the paper into the machine, where a roller working in a color pan puts a large quantity of color upon the paper in blotches. Then a set of flat brushes, called jiggers,

spreading the coloring matter evenly over the surface of the paper. As the paper comes from the blotch ing machine a workman takes one end of it, wraps it around a stick and places the stick across two parallel endless chains, and the paper is thus carried up an incline. When eighteen feet of it has run out, the chains take up another stick that lies across them. and carry it up as they did the first stick; a third stick soon follows the second, and thus the work continues until the entire web of paper has been

run out of the blotching machine. The chains, in their working, hang the paper in loops over a system of steam pipes, and it is thus thoroughly driel before it reaches the end of the chainwork, where it is again wound into web form.

Wall paper designs are first sketched on paper, and then transferred to rollers of the size required. It is necessary to prepare as many rollers as there are colors in the design: thus. if the design requires printing in eight colors, eight rollers must be prepared.

When all of the rollers are ready the artist directs his workmen and each one is given a color. A workman to whom that color has been given takes roller to his bench, sets it firmly in the grasp of a vise, and, with hammers, files, brass, ribbons, and brass rods, goes to work. Every bit of the design that is to be in green is traced out for him, and he carefully repro duces it in relief on the roller.

When his work is finished, the roller bears on its face, in raised brass, green stems, leaves, etc., and at the proper time and place will put the green coloring and shading just where the designer intended it should be. In like manner the other rollers are made ready for use, and they are then taken to a press that has a large cylinder of the width of ordinary wall paper. There are grooves around the sides and the bottom of the cylinder, into which are fitted the rods on the ends of the rollers, and, when in position, the faces of the rollers just touch the cylinder. An endless cloth band comes to each of the rollers from below, each band works in a color pan, which contains, in liquid form, the coloring matter to be carried on the roller to which

the band belongs. Each roller is placed in such position that the part of the design upon it will strike exactly in the spot necessitated by the relative position of the other

rollers. When all is ready the paper that has passed through the blotching machine is placed between the cylinder and the first roller, the cylinder and the rollers revolve rapidly, and soon the paper is beautifully printed. At each of the endless cloth bands there is a steel scraper called a doctor, and it is the doctor's duty to prevent too much liquid from the other pans from get-

ing on the rollers. The wall paper press throws off ter rolls of paper a minute, and each roll contains sixteen yards. It is said that stamped paper for walls was first manufactured in Holland about the year 1555. Some of the very costly wall paper in use nowadays is beautifully embossed and hand-painted .-Philadelphia Times.

ROWS IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

evolutions There Are a Regular Midsummer Institution "These reported revolutions in South America need excite no alarm," says a trader who knows the five republics like a book. "They are the regular midsummer revolts, and are one of the most cherished institutions of the country. Without them the populace would expire of ennul. You see, the average native, except in the few large towns, has absolutely no diversions Nature relieves him of the necessity to toll, and all he has to do is to lie still and breathe. When he desires to smoke his wife rolls cigarettes, lights them and places them tenderly be tween his lips. Of course, that is an ideal existence, but it lacks variety. and at least once a year even a Central American will feel a craving for excitement. That is where the regular annual revolution comes in. In a certain sense it takes the place of bull fighting or lynchings, and, compared

ties are trifling. "It is a mistake, too, to suppose that need be no fear of fading after a pro- the established governments regard cess that so severely tests the colors, revolutions with disfavor. Not at all. brushes are of a great size and hard- to get along without them, for each revolt is invariably followed by a number of confiscations, and the national big military carnival, a fan-fare of trumpets, a waving of banners, and a pyrotechnical display of proclamations. It is the great event of the year and after it is all over the patriots disperse to their palm-leaf domiciles and rest up for the next demonstration. Understand, please, that I am speaking of the periodical, perennial revolutions, not the irregular outbreaks of filibusterers and conspirators. The fixed summer revolution is, as I said before, an old established national institution, like a festa, and any attempt to do away with it would certainly

lead to trouble-possibly to bloodshed."

Intensity of Sunlight. In order to measure distances sur faces, volumes, time and force, standard units were long ago found indispensable, and this is, of course, absolutely so in determining or measuring the quantity of light in any luminous body. This unit is the intensity of the light of the standard candle, which is a sperm candle weighing one-sixth of a pound and burning 120 grains an hour. By this means it is found by astronomers that the intensity of the sunlight is such that when the sun is in the zenth it illuminates a white surface about 60,000 times as strongly as a standard candle at a distance of thirty-nine inches. Comparing, then, sunlight with that of the full moon, the surprising result is arrived at that the former is about 600,000 times that of the latter. Again, the interesting fact is now established that of all the different kinds of artificial light that can be produced as yet by man, the most intense is the bril- in her mouth.

Hant spot in the so-named crater of an | " You May Bend the Sapling electric arc. but, dazzlingly brilliant as it is, it is but one third as bright as the surface of the sun Itself.

DETAILS OF AN INTERESTING Dinnis McGuir.'s Whisky. Meagher was full of anecdotes of hi famous brigade. One story is too good to be lost. He said he was leading his men to the front in one of the seven days' hattles when an aid rode by and announced the news that our army had carried a certain strategic point and several colors. "D'ye hear that, boys?" shouted Meagher. "Our men have won the day and captured the enemy's colors!" "Just as I said that," remarked the general, "a private who was plunging along out of one muddy hole into another looked up at me and sald: 'Ah, Ginral, I'd rather have a pint of Dinnis McGuire's whisky now than all the brush quickly back and forth, thus Magazine.



Among the attractions of the Paris exposition next year is to be an arti- slowly. ficial volcano, which will eject flame and smoke, and simulate the flowing of a stream of incandescent lava. The volcano will stand on the bank of the Seine, and will be 328 feet in height. While the framework is to be of from and steel, the exterior will be covered with turf, trees and shrubs, and by ascend to the crater at the summit.

Although tobacco first became known to the civilized world through the discovery of America, where the natives cultivated and smoked it, yet about two-thirds of the world's yearly product is now produced in the Eastern Hemisphere. The total product is estimated at 1,900,000,000 pounds, of which America produces 650,000,000. Cuba. whose tobacco is reckoned the finest of all, produces only 62,000,000 pounds, eing far exceeded in respect to quantity by the State of Kentucky, whose product is put at 185,000,000 pounds.

The common belief that steel and iron secome brittle and more liable to break arn Pacific Company. when subjected to great cold is contradicted by the results of experiments made at Cornell University. It has been shown there that the strength of steel and wrought iron is least at a temperature of 70 degrees Fahrenheit, and hat it increases when the temperature either rises or falls from that point. At 500 degrees above zero and at 60 degrees below zero the strength is increased about 20 per cent. The elastic limit also rises slightly with increase

In view of the rapid disappearance of the herds of elephants which formerly roamed in Africa, and the limited number of those animals remaining in Asia, Dr. R. Lydekker calls attention to the enormous supply of ivory which exists in the frozen tundras of Siberia, and which, he thinks, "will probably suffice for the world's consumption for many years to come." This ivory consists of the tusks of the extinct species of elephant called mammoths. The tusks of are wonderfully abundant at some places in Siberia, where the frost has perfectly preserved them, and in many cases has preserved the flesh of the animals also.

A table in Science shows that Canada leads all other countries in the extent of her forests. She possesses 799,230. 720 acres of forest-covered land, as against 450,000,000 acres in the United States. Russia is credited with 498,-240,000 acres, about 48,000,000 more than the United States. India comes next with 140,000,000 acres. Germany has 34,347,000 acres, France 23,466,450. and the British Islands only 2 605 000 The table does not include Africa or South America, both of which contain mmense forests. It may surprise some readers to learn that the percentage of forest-covered land is larger in several European countries, Germany for instance, than in the United States,

Picture of a Man Turning a Handspring Caught by a Camera. Here is a curious photograph. The figure in the cut is pictured apparently helping Atlas to support the earth,



A CURIOUS PHOTOGRAPH. shoulders. In reality it is the picture of a man turning a handspring caught in the act by a kodak. When turned upside down it is seen in its true posi-

o end came near.

"Why, boys," he shouted, his voice stomachs, the saliva-coated ball, like hoarse and trembling with excitement, any foreign body, irritates the stomach "we hab libed under dis old flag for and brings on indigestion. If the pereighteen hundred and sixty-two years! son is strong and has plenty of outdoor We ain't going to desert it now?"

taken place at a fair and a culprit was to overcome the strength and produce more or less trouble. Stale bread is more "crumbly" and does not stay together so firmly in a sticky mass. or, but I would ask was that a skull for a man to go to a fair wid?" You meet a man every now and then

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Just before W. V. Smith, of Flor ence, Kan., goes to bed he carefully of the National Sculptor Society. In places his beard in a muslin bag. After he has entered the bed he puts the includes Mrs. H. H. Kitson, of Boston, bag under his pillow. His beard is and Miss Bessile Potter, who, like Miss nearly eight feet long.

England has one flock of pure merino

June bugs are thick in parts of Germany this year. At Brody school children lately gathered 25 % hundred 000 June bugs.

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baldness indicates great brain power, For information, rates, etc., call on but the makers of alleged hair restorers keep on getting rich.-Chicago H. Hurlburt, General Passenger Agent; Times Herald

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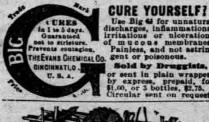
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"We want to work for it, we want to fight for it, an' we want to die for it, if we hab to!" he cried, with increasing bread, but condenses it into a soft, earnestness, as the time for his speech

No Skull for an Irish Fair. In Ireland recently a quarrel had greater than it should be, and is liable being sentenced for manslaughter. The doctor, however, had given evidence to show that the victim's skull was abnormally thin. The prisoner on being asked if he had anything to say for himself, replied: "No, yer hon-

but who can tell you just how your own ballot should be cast. The women say that short skirts are bound to come, and that men must get used to them. As if the men objected!

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months, like snake bites.

dough, glutinous mass, very difficult

for the saliva to affect. In weak

exercise, the new bread is finally di-

gested, but the effort of digestion is

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